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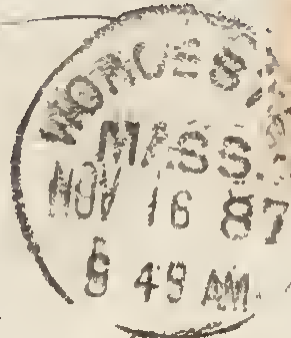
Joseph A. Howland



Eli Thayer -
Is wise to wait until Garrison & Phillips [& the Fosters & Burleighs] are in their graves - His "thrasonical brag" - to use Shaksp.'s words - would have, as he was well aware, been punctured & scattered.

Yrs. Samuel May

C. Robinson wd. rather have E. T.'s face than Webster's or Lincoln's. There is no accounting for tastes, and certainly Mr. R. has the right to his, however singular. [illegible]
- And what is E. T.'s creed?

Yours

What is true is not new; & what is new is not true.